



# *Strategic Weapons in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Hedging Against Uncertainty*

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**Ronald Reagan Building - Washington DC  
Rotunda Room  
January 29, 2009**

**Co-hosted by  
Lawrence Livermore and Los Alamos  
National Laboratories**

- 7:30 – 8:00      Conference Registration/Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 – 8:10      **Welcome & Introductory Remarks**  
George Miller, Director, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory  
Michael Anastasio, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory  
Thomas Hunter, Director, Sandia National Laboratories  
Don Cook, Managing Director, Atomic Weapons Establishment
- 8:10 – 9:10      **Congressional Speakers**  
Introduction by Michael Anastasio
- ❖ The Honorable Jeff Bingaman  
United States Senate  
New Mexico
  - ❖ The Honorable Jon Kyl  
United States Senate  
Arizona
- 9:10 – 9:30      **View from STRATCOM**  
Introduction by George Miller
- ❖ Vice Admiral Carl V. Mauney  
Deputy Commander  
U.S. Strategic Command

- 9:30 – 11:00     ***“Forces, Infrastructure, and Science & Technology: What are the Options for Hedging?”***  
Introduction by Thomas Hunter  
Chairs: Sidney Drell & Richard Mies
- 11:00 – 12:00     ***“International Dynamics, Policy, and Strategy: Assessing Risk and the Need to Hedge”***  
Introduction by Don Cook  
Chairs: Michael Nacht & Keith Payne
- 12:30 – 1:00     Lunch
- 1:00 – 2:00     **Key Issues from Contemporary Studies and Commissions**  
Introduction by Michael Anastasio  
Chaired by William Perry & James Schlesinger with remarks by  
                 John Day, Policy Director, UK Ministry of Defence
- 2:00 – 4:00     **Roundtable Discussion: The Path Forward**  
Introduction by George Miller  
Chaired by John Hamre & Larry Welch
- 4:00 – 4:15     Break
- 4:15 – 5:30     **Reception and Distinguished Speakers**  
Introduction by Michael Anastasio
- ❖ Thomas P. D’Agostino  
                 Undersecretary for Nuclear Security, U.S. Department of Energy and  
                 Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration
- 5:30             **Adjourn**  
                 Michael Anastasio